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**SEW-EURODRIVE GMBH & Co. KG** hereby appoints the following practitioner(s):

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as its attorney(s) to represent it before the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with any and all patent applications assigned to it according to the assignment records of the United States Patent and Trademark Office or assignment documents attached to this paper in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).

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The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is authorized to act on behalf of SEW-EURODRIVE GMBH & Co. KG.

SEW-EURODRIVE GMBH & Co. KG Ernst-Blickle-Strasse 42 76646 Bruchsal Federal Republic of Germany

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#### STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)

SIR:

SEW-EURODRIVE GMBH & CO.KG, having a place of business at Ernst-Blickle-Strasse 42, 76646 Bruchsal, Federal Republic of Germany, states that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of an assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above. A copy of the assignment is attached hereto.

The undersigned is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee, SEW-EURODRIVE GMBH & CO.KG.

Respectfully submitted,

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#### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE,

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have made new and useful inventions and discoveries in **DRIVE UNIT AND BRAKE**, for which an application for Letters Patent was filed as PCT International Application No. **PCT/EP2005/000735** on **January 26**, **2005**;

WHEREAS **SEW-EURODRIVE GMBH & CO.KG**, having a place of business at Ernst-Blickle-Str. 42, 76646 Bruchsal, Federal Republic of Germany, and who, together with its successors and assigns, is hereinafter called "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits, and privileges hereinafter recited;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration furnished by Assignee to us, receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we hereby, without reservations:

- 1. Assign, transfer, and convey to Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions and discoveries, said application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions and discoveries, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, and continuation applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or discoveries, or upon said applications, and any and all Letters Patent, reissues, and extensions of Letters Patent granted for said inventions and discoveries or upon said applications, and every priority right that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said inventions, said discoveries, said applications, and said Letters Patent.
- 2. Authorize Assignee to file patent applications in any or all countries for any or all of said inventions and

discoveries in our names or in the name of Assignee or otherwise as Assignee may deem advisable, under an International Convention or otherwise.

- 3. Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent to Assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein or otherwise as Assignee may direct.
- 4. Warrant that we have not conveyed to others any right, title, or interest in said inventions, discoveries, applications, or patents or any license to use the same or to make, use, or sell anything embodying or utilizing any of said inventions or discoveries; that we have good right to assign the same to Assignee without encumbrance; and that we are aware of no claim to the contrary.
- Bind our heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, as well as ourselves, to do, upon Assignee's request and at Assignee's expense, but without additional consideration to us or them, all acts reasonably serving to assure that the said inventions and discoveries, the said patent applications, and the said Letters Patent shall be held and enjoyed by Assignee as fully and entirely as the same could have been held and enjoyed by us, our heirs, legal representatives, and assigns if this assignment had not been made; and particularly to execute and deliver to Assignee all lawful application documents including petitions, specifications, and oaths, and all assignments, disclaimers, and lawful affidavits in form and substance as may be requested by Assignee; to communicate to Assignee all facts known to us relating to said inventions and discoveries or the history thereof; to furnish Assignee with any and all documents, photographs, models, samples, and other physical exhibits in our control or in the control of our heirs, legal representatives, or assigns which may be useful for establishing the facts of our conceptions, disclosures, and reduction to practice of said inventions and discoveries; and to testify to the same in any interference, arbitration, or litigation.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 30 day of 40, 2006.

Josef SCHMIDT

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